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SUBMISSION OF REPORTS BY STATES PARTIES UNDER ARTICLE 9, PARAGRAPH 1, OF THE CONVENTION

Note by the Secretary-General

The present note contains information on the overall situation with regard to the submission of reports by States parties in accordance with article 9 of the Convention. Section A lists, in alphabetical order of State party, the reports received by the Secretary-General and reflects the status of reports submitted as at 4 June 1997. Section B lists the reports due in the order of the years in which they fell due from States parties up to the closing date of the present session of the Committee (22 August 1997).

Status of submission of reports by States parties under article 9 of the Convention

A Reports received and pending consideration by the Committee

Algeria	Eleventh and twelfth reports, due in 1993 and 1995 respectively, submitted in one document (CERD/C/280/Add.3)
Argentina	Eleventh, twelfth, thirteenth and fourteenth reports, due in 1990, 1992, 1994 and 1996 respectively, submitted in one document (CERD/C/299/Add.11)
Burkina Faso	Sixth, seventh, eighth, ninth, tenth and eleventh reports, due in 1985, 1987, 1989, 1991, 1993 and 1995 respectively, submitted in one document (CERD/C/279/Add.2)

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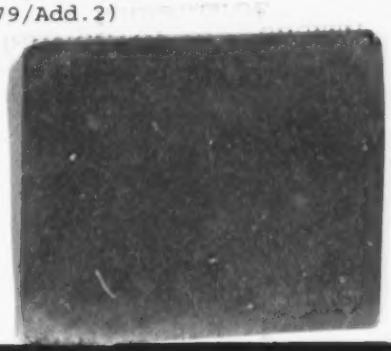

Burundi	Seventh, eighth, ninth and tenth reports, due in 1990, 1992, 1994 and 1996 respectively, submitted in one document (CERD/C/295/Add.1)
Cambodia	Second, third, fourth, fifth, sixth and seventh reports, due in 1986, 1988, 1990, 1992, 1994 and 1996 respectively, submitted in one document (CERD/C/292/Add.2)
Denmark	Thirteenth report, due in 1997 (CERD/C/319/Add.1)
Libyan Arab Jamahiriya	Eleventh, twelfth, thirteenth and fourteenth reports, due in 1990, 1992, 1994 and 1996 respectively, submitted in one document (CERD/C/299/Add.13)
Nepal	Ninth, tenth, eleventh, twelfth and thirteenth reports, due in 1988, 1990, 1992, 1994 and 1996 respectively, submitted in one document (CERD/C/298/Add.1)
Netherlands	Tenth, eleventh, twelfth and thirteenth reports, due in 1991, 1993, 1995 and 1997 respectively, submitted in one document (CERD/C/319/Add.2)
Norway	Twelfth and thirteenth reports, due in 1993 and 1995 respectively, submitted in one document (CERD/C/281/Add.2)
Philippines	Eleventh, twelfth, thirteenth and fourteenth reports, due in 1990, 1992, 1994 and 1996 respectively, submitted in one document (CERD/C/299/Add.12)
Poland	Thirteenth and fourteenth reports, due in 1994 and 1996 respectively, submitted in one document (CERD/C/299/Add.10)
Russian Federation	Fourteenth report, due in 1996 (CERD/C/299/Add.15)
Sweden	Twelfth report, due in 1995 (CERD/C/280/Add.4)
Switzerland	Initial report, due in 1995 (CERD/C/270/Add.1)
The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia	Initial, second and third reports, due in 1992, 1994 and 1996 respectively, submitted in one document (CERD/C/270/Add.2)
Tonga	Eleventh, twelfth and thirteenth reports, due in 1993, 1995 and 1997 respectively, submitted in one document (CERD/C/319/Add.3)
Ukraine	Thirteenth and fourteenth reports, due in 1994 and 1996 respectively, submitted in one document (CERD/C/299/Add.14)

Czech Republic	Initial and second reports, due in 1994 and 1996 respectively, submitted in one document (CERD/C/289/Add.1)	

B. Reports due

1. States parties from which two or more reports are due

State party	Type of report	Date on which the report was due	Number of reminders sent
Sierra Leone	Fourth report	4 January 1976	24
	Fifth report	4 January 1978	20
	Sixth report	4 January 1980	18
	Seventh report	4 January 1982	14
	Eighth report	4 January 1984	10
	Ninth report	4 January 1986	6
	Tenth report	4 January 1988	3
	Eleventh report	4 January 1990	3
	Twelfth report	4 January 1992	2
	Thirteenth report	4 January 1994	1
	Fourteenth report	4 January 1996	1
	Supplementary	31 March 1975	1
Liberia	Initial report	5 December 1977	21
	Second report	5 December 1979	17
	Third report	5 December 1981	13
	Fourth report	5 December 1983	10
	Fifth report	5 December 1985	6
	Sixth report	5 December 1987	3
	Seventh report	5 December 1989	3
	Eighth report	5 December 1991	2
	Ninth report	5 December 1993	1
	Tenth report	5 December 1995	1
Guyana	Initial report	17 March 1978	21
	Second report	17 March 1980	17
	Third report	17 March 1982	13
	Fourth report	17 March 1984	10
	Fifth report	17 March 1986	6
	Sixth report	17 March 1988	3
	Seventh report	17 March 1990	3
	Eighth report	17 March 1992	2
	Ninth report	17 March 1994	1
	Tenth report	17 March 1996	1

State party	Type of report	Date on which the report was due	Number of reminders sent
Guinea	Second report	13 April 1980	17
	Third report	13 April 1982	13
	Fourth report	13 April 1984	9
	Fifth report	13 April 1986	4
	Sixth report	13 April 1988	3
	Seventh report	13 April 1990	3
	Eighth report	13 April 1992	2
	Ninth report	13 April 1994	1
	Tenth report	13 April 1996	1
Gambia	Second report	28 January 1982	14
	Third report	28 January 1984	10
	Fourth report	28 January 1986	6
	Fifth report	28 January 1988	3
	Sixth report	28 January 1990	3
	Seventh report	28 January 1992	2
	Eighth report	28 January 1994	1
	Ninth report	28 January 1996	1
Côte d'Ivoire	Fifth report	3 February 1982	14
	Sixth report	3 February 1984	10
	Seventh report	3 February 1986	6
	Eighth report	3 February 1988	3
	Ninth report	3 February 1990	3
	Tenth report	3 February 1992	2
	Eleventh report	3 February 1994	1
	Twelfth report	3 February 1996	1
Lebanon	Sixth report	12 December 1982	12
	Seventh report	12 December 1984	8
	Eighth report	12 December 1986	5
	Ninth report	12 December 1988	3
	Tenth report	12 December 1990	2
	Eleventh report	12 December 1992	1
	Twelfth report	12 December 1994	1
	Thirteenth report	12 December 1996	1
Gabon	Second report	30 March 1983	11
	Third report	30 March 1985	7
	Fourth report	30 March 1987	4
	Fifth report	30 March 1989	3
	Sixth report	30 March 1991	2
	Seventh report	30 March 1993	1
	Eighth report	30 March 1995	1
	Ninth report	30 March 1997	-

State party	Type of report	Date on which the report was due	Number of reminders sent
Togo	Sixth report	1 October 1983	10
	Seventh report	1 October 1985	6
	Eighth report	1 October 1987	3
	Ninth report	1 October 1989	3
	Tenth report	1 October 1991	2
	Eleventh report	1 October 1993	1
	Twelfth report	1 October 1995	1
Uganda	Second report	21 December 1983	10
	Third report	21 December 1985	6
	Fourth report	21 December 1987	3
	Fifth report	21 December 1989	3
	Sixth report	21 December 1991	2
	Seventh report	21 December 1993	1
	Eighth report	21 December 1995	1
Fiji	Sixth report	11 January 1984	9
	Seventh report	11 January 1986	5
	Eighth report	11 January 1988	3
	Ninth report	11 January 1990	3
	Tenth report	11 January 1992	2
	Eleventh report	11 January 1994	1
	Twelfth report	11 January 1996	1
Bahamas	Fifth report	4 September 1984	9
	Sixth report	4 September 1986	5
	Seventh report	4 September 1988	3
	Eighth report	4 September 1990	3
	Ninth report	4 September 1992	2
	Tenth report	4 September 1994	1
	Eleventh report	4 September 1996	1
Somalia	Fifth report	25 September 1984	9
	Sixth report	25 September 1986	6
	Seventh report	25 September 1988	4
	Eighth report	25 September 1990	3
	Ninth report	25 September 1992	1
	Tenth report	25 September 1994	1
	Eleventh report	25 September 1996	1
Cape Verde	Third report	2 November 1984	9
	Fourth report	2 November 1986	6
	Fifth report	2 November 1988	4
	Sixth report	2 November 1990	3
	Seventh report	2 November 1992	1
	Eighth report	2 November 1994	1
	Ninth report	2 November 1996	1

State party	Type of report	Date on which the report was due	Number of reminders sent
Lesotho	Seventh report	4 December 1984	9
	Eighth report	4 December 1986	6
	Ninth report	4 December 1988	4
	Tenth report	4 December 1990	3
	Eleventh report	4 December 1992	1
	Twelfth report	4 December 1994	1
	Thirteenth report	4 December 1996	-
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	Second report	9 December 1984	9
	Third report	9 December 1986	6
	Fourth report	9 December 1988	4
	Fifth report	9 December 1990	3
	Sixth report	9 December 1992	1
	Seventh report	9 December 1994	1
	Eighth report	9 December 1996	-
Papua New Guinea	Second report	26 February 1985	9
	Third report	26 February 1987	6
	Fourth report	26 February 1989	4
	Fifth report	26 February 1991	3
	Sixth report	26 February 1993	1
	Seventh report	26 February 1995	1
	Eighth report	26 February 1997	-
Botswana	Sixth report	22 March 1985	9
	Seventh report	22 March 1987	6
	Eighth report	22 March 1989	4
	Ninth report	22 March 1991	3
	Tenth report	22 March 1993	1
	Eleventh report	22 March 1995	1
	Twelfth report	22 March 1997	-
Lao People's Democratic Republic	Sixth report	24 March 1985	8
	Seventh report	24 March 1987	5
	Eighth report	24 March 1989	4
	Ninth report	24 March 1991	2
	Tenth report	24 March 1993	1
	Eleventh report	24 March 1995	1
	Twelfth report	24 March 1997	-
Suriname	Initial report	14 April 1985	9
	Second report	14 April 1987	6
	Third report	14 April 1989	4
	Fourth report	14 April 1991	3
	Fifth report	14 April 1993	1
	Sixth report	14 April 1995	1
	Seventh report	14 April 1997	-

State party	Type of report	Date on which the report was due	Number of reminders sent
Solomon Islands	Second report	16 April 1985	9
	Third report	16 April 1987	6
	Fourth report	16 April 1989	4
	Fifth report	16 April 1991	3
	Sixth report	16 April 1993	1
	Seventh report	16 April 1995	1
	Eighth report	16 April 1997	-
Central African Republic	Eighth report	15 April 1986	7
	Ninth report	15 April 1988	5
	Tenth report	15 April 1990	5
	Eleventh report	15 April 1992	2
	Twelfth report	15 April 1994	1
	Thirteenth report	15 April 1996	1
Mozambique	Second report	18 May 1986	7
	Third report	18 May 1988	5
	Fourth report	18 May 1990	5
	Fifth report	18 May 1992	2
	Sixth report	18 May 1994	1
	Seventh report	18 May 1996	1
Jamaica	Eighth report	4 July 1986	7
	Ninth report	4 July 1988	5
	Tenth report	4 July 1990	5
	Eleventh report	4 July 1992	2
	Twelfth report	4 July 1994	1
	Thirteenth report	4 July 1996	1
Afghanistan	Second report	5 August 1986	7
	Third report	5 August 1988	5
	Fourth report	5 August 1990	5
	Fifth report	5 August 1992	2
	Sixth report	5 August 1994	1
	Seventh report	5 August 1996	1
Mali	Seventh report	15 August 1987	5
	Eighth report	15 August 1989	5
	Ninth report	15 August 1991	3
	Tenth report	15 August 1993	1
	Eleventh report	15 August 1995	1
	Twelfth report	15 August 1997	-
United Republic of Tanzania	Eighth report	26 November 1987	5
	Ninth report	26 November 1989	5
	Tenth report	26 November 1991	2
	Eleventh report	26 November 1993	1
	Twelfth report	26 November 1995	1

State party	Type of report	Date on which the report was due	Number of reminders sent
Barbados	Eighth report	8 December 1987	5
	Ninth report	8 December 1989	5
	Tenth report	8 December 1991	2
	Eleventh report	8 December 1993	1
	Twelfth report	8 December 1995	1
Madagascar	Tenth report	9 March 1988	5
	Eleventh report	9 March 1990	5
	Twelfth report	9 March 1992	2
	Thirteenth report	9 March 1994	1
	Fourteenth report	9 March 1996	1
Seychelles	Sixth report	6 April 1989	2
	Seventh report	6 April 1991	2
	Eighth report	6 April 1993	1
	Ninth report	6 April 1995	1
	Tenth report	6 April 1997	-
Ethiopia	Seventh report	23 July 1989	2
	Eighth report	23 July 1991	2
	Ninth report	23 July 1993	1
	Tenth report	23 July 1995	1
	Eleventh report	23 July 1997	-
Congo	Initial report	10 August 1989	2
	Second report	10 August 1991	2
	Third report	10 August 1993	1
	Fourth report	10 August 1995	1
	Fifth report	10 August 1997	-
Antigua and Barbuda	Initial report	24 November 1989	2
	Second report	24 November 1991	2
	Third report	24 November 1993	1
	Fourth report	24 November 1995	1
Niger	Eleventh report	4 January 1990	2
	Twelfth report	4 January 1992	2
	Thirteenth report	4 January 1994	1
	Fourteenth report	4 January 1996	1
Yugoslavia 1/	Eleventh report	4 January 1990	2
	Twelfth report	4 January 1992	2
	Thirteenth report	4 January 1994	1
	Fourteenth report	4 January 1996	1
Mauritania	Initial report	12 January 1990	2
	Second report	12 January 1992	2
	Third report	12 January 1994	1
	Fourth report	12 January 1996	1

State party	Type of report	Date on which the report was due	Number of reminders sent
Rwanda	Eighth report	16 May 1990	2
	Ninth report	16 May 1992	2
	Tenth report	16 May 1994	1
	Eleventh report	16 May 1996	1
Dominican Republic	Fourth report	24 June 1990	2
	Fifth report	24 June 1992	2
	Sixth report	24 June 1994	1
	Seventh report	24 June 1996	1
Cameroon	Tenth report	24 July 1990	2
	Eleventh report	24 July 1992	2
	Twelfth report	24 July 1994	1
	Thirteenth report	24 July 1996	1
Mongolia	Eleventh report	5 September 1990	1
	Twelfth report	5 September 1992	1
	Thirteenth report	5 September 1994	1
	Fourteenth report	5 September 1996	1
Cuba	Tenth report	16 March 1991	1
	Eleventh report	16 March 1993	1
	Twelfth report	16 March 1995	1
	Thirteenth report	16 March 1997	-
Saint Lucia	Initial report	16 March 1991	1
	Second report	16 March 1993	1
	Third report	16 March 1995	1
	Fourth report	16 March 1997	-
Bahrain	Initial report	26 April 1991	1
	Second report	26 April 1993	1
	Third report	26 April 1995	1
	Fourth report	26 April 1997	-
Jordan	Ninth report	29 June 1991	1
	Tenth report	29 June 1993	1
	Eleventh report	30 June 1995	1
	Twelfth report	30 June 1997	-
Portugal	Fifth report	23 September 1991	1
	Sixth report	23 September 1993	1
	Seventh report	23 September 1995	1
Costa Rica	Twelfth report	4 January 1992	1
	Thirteenth report	4 January 1994	1
	Fourteenth report	4 January 1996	1

State party	Type of report	Date on which the report was due	Number of reminders sent
Ghana	Twelfth report	4 January 1992	1
	Thirteenth report	4 January 1994	1
	Fourteenth report	4 January 1996	1
Uruguay	Twelfth report	4 January 1992	1
	Thirteenth report	4 January 1994	1
	Fourteenth report	4 January 1996	1
Haiti	Tenth report	18 January 1992	1
	Eleventh report	18 January 1994	1
	Twelfth report	18 January 1996	1
Israel 2/	Seventh report	2 February 1992	1
	Eighth report	2 February 1994	1
	Ninth report	2 February 1996	1
Syrian Arab Republic	Twelfth report	21 May 1992	1
	Thirteenth report	21 May 1994	1
	Fourteenth report	21 May 1996	1
Bangladesh	Seventh report	11 July 1992	1
	Eighth report	11 July 1994	1
	Ninth report	11 July 1996	1
Croatia 3/	Initial report	8 October 1992	1
	Second report	8 October 1994	1
	Third report	8 October 1996	1
Chile	Eleventh report	19 November 1992	1
	Twelfth report	19 November 1994	1
	Thirteenth report	19 November 1996	-
Estonia	Initial report	20 November 1992	1
	Second report	20 November 1994	1
	Third report	20 November 1996	-
Latvia	Initial report	14 May 1993	1
	Second report	14 May 1995	1
	Third report	14 May 1997	-
Senegal	Eleventh report	19 May 1993	1
	Twelfth report	19 May 1995	1
	Thirteenth report	19 May 1997	-
Maldives	Fifth report	24 May 1993	1
	Sixth report	24 May 1995	1
	Seventh report	24 May 1997	-

State party	Type of report	Date on which the report was due	Number of reminders sent
Austria	Eleventh report	8 June 1993	1
	Twelfth report	8 June 1995	1
	Thirteenth report	8 June 1997	-
Slovenia	Initial report	6 July 1993	1
	Second report	6 July 1995	1
	Third report	6 July 1997	-
Viet Nam	Sixth report	9 July 1993	1
	Seventh report	9 July 1995	1
	Eighth report	9 July 1997	-
Greece	Twelfth report	18 July 1993	1
	Thirteenth report	18 July 1995	1
	Fourteenth report	18 July 1997	-
Qatar	Ninth report	21 August 1993	1
	Tenth report	21 August 1995	1
	Eleventh report	21 August 1997	-
Romania	Twelfth report	15 October 1993	1
	Thirteenth report	15 October 1995	1
Yemen	Eleventh report	17 November 1993	1
	Twelfth report	17 November 1995	1
Ecuador	Thirteenth report	4 January 1994	1
	Fourteenth report	4 January 1996	1
Egypt	Thirteenth report	4 January 1994	1
	Fourteenth report	4 January 1996	1
Iran (Islamic Republic of)	Thirteenth report	4 January 1994	1
	Fourteenth report	4 January 1996	1
Kuwait	Thirteenth report	4 January 1994	1
	Fourteenth report	4 January 1996	1
Tunisia	Thirteenth report	4 January 1994	1
	Fourteenth report	4 January 1996	1
Morocco	Twelfth report	17 January 1994	1
	Thirteenth report	17 January 1996	1
Republic of Moldova	Initial report	25 February 1994	1
	Second report	25 February 1996	1
Sudan	Ninth report	20 April 1994	1
	Tenth report	20 April 1996	1

State party	Type of report	Date on which the report was due	Number of reminders sent
Slovakia	Initial report	28 May 1994	1
	Second report	28 May 1996	1
Holy See	Thirteenth report	31 May 1994	1
	Fourteenth report	31 May 1996	1
Zimbabwe	Second report	12 June 1994	1
	Third report	12 June 1996	1
Bosnia and Herzegovina 4/	Initial report	16 July 1994	1
	Second report	16 July 1996	1
Armenia	Initial report	23 July 1994	1
	Second report	23 July 1996	1
France	Twelfth report	27 August 1994	1
	Thirteenth report	27 August 1996	1
Peru	Twelfth report	29 October 1994	1
	Thirteenth report	29 October 1996	1
Australia	Tenth report	30 October 1994	1
	Eleventh report	30 October 1996	1
Trinidad and Tobago	Eleventh report	3 November 1994	1
	Twelfth report	3 November 1996	1
Italy	Tenth report	4 February 1995	1
	Eleventh report	4 February 1997	-
Zambia	Twelfth report	5 March 1995	1
	Thirteenth report	5 March 1997	-
Sri Lanka	Seventh report	20 March 1995	1
	Eighth report	20 March 1997	-
Albania	Initial report	10 June 1995	1
	Second report	10 June 1997	-
Finland	Thirteenth report	13 August 1995	1
	Fourteenth report	13 August 1997	-

2. Other States parties whose reports are due before the closing date of the fiftieth session (22 August 1997) but have not yet been received

State party	Type of report	Date on which the report was due	Number of reminders sent
Turkmenistan	Initial report	29 October 1995	1
Canada	Thirteenth report	13 November 1995	1
United States of America	Initial report	20 November 1995	1
New Zealand	Twelfth report	22 December 1995	1
Brazil	Fourteenth report	4 January 1996	1
Cyprus	Fourteenth report	4 January 1996	1
Hungary	Fourteenth report	4 January 1996	1
Nigeria	Fourteenth report	4 January 1996	1
Panama	Fifteenth report	4 January 1996	1
Republic of Korea	Ninth report	4 January 1996	1
Spain	Fourteenth report	4 January 1996	1
Venezuela	Fourteenth report	4 January 1996	1
Tajikistan	Initial report	10 February 1996	1
Malta	Thirteenth report	26 June 1996	1
Belgium	Eleventh report	6 September 1996	-
Chad	Tenth report	16 September 1996	1
Colombia	Eighth report	2 October 1996	1
Monaco	Initial report	27 October 1996	1
Uzbekistan	Initial report	28 October 1996	1
El Salvador	Ninth report	30 December 1996	-
Japan	Initial report	14 January 1997	-
China	Eighth report	28 January 1997	-
Iraq	Fourteenth report	13 February 1997	-

State party	Type of report	Date on which the report was due	Number of reminders sent
Algeria	Thirteenth report	15 March 1997	-
Nicaragua	Tenth report	17 March 1997	-
Luxembourg	Tenth report	31 May 1997	-
Mauritius	Thirteenth report	29 June 1997	-
United Arab Emirates	Twelfth report	20 July 1997	-
Democratic Republic of the Congo	Eleventh report	21 May 1997	-

Notes

1/ For a report and further information submitted in compliance with a special decision of the Committee taken at its forty-second session (1993), see CERD/C/248 and Add.1.

2/ For a report submitted in compliance with a special decision of the Committee taken at its forty-fourth session (1994), see CERD/C/282.

3/ For a report submitted in compliance with a special decision of the Committee taken at its forty-second session (1993), see CERD/C/249.

4/ For a report submitted in compliance with a special decision of the Committee taken at its forty-second session (1993), see CERD/C/247.